

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the subtitle before the first paragraph on page 1 as follows:

~~“INTRODUCTION”~~ “TECHNICAL FIELD OF THE INVENTION”.

Please insert the following subtitle before the second paragraph on page 1:

“BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE RELATED ART”.

Please replace the first subtitle on page 2 as follows:

~~“Object of the invention”~~ “BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION”.

Replace the second paragraph on page 2 as follows:

~~“It is consequently an object of the present invention to propose an improved seat-belt warning device.”~~

Delete the second subtitle on page 2.

Replace the third paragraph on page 2 as follows:

~~“This object is achieved by means of a seat-belt warning device as claimed in claim 1. Such~~ The invention provides a seat-belt warning device comprises a device for sensing whether a seat is occupied by a passenger, a device for sensing whether a seat belt associated with the seat has been put on, and a device for outputting a warning signal. According to the invention, the device for sensing whether the seat is occupied by a passenger comprises an optical imaging system having an image evaluation unit.”

Please insert the following subtitle after the last complete paragraph on page 5:

“BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS”.

Please insert the following subtitle before the first complete paragraph on page 6:

“DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION”.